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REMARKS

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1. Four trucks, [redacted] and two armored scout cars entered Camp Vogelsang at the Templin (N 54/U 81) training area from the direction of Loewenberg at 11:30 p.m. on 26 March, while trucks [redacted] moved into the camp on 27 March. 25X1
2. Trucks entering Camp Hammelspring [redacted] 25X1
3. A train, carrying a canvas-covered tank, a motorcycle and two trucks, [redacted] left the Templin railroad station toward Fuerstenberg on 27 March. During the night of 29 March, an armored scout car, which [redacted] was en route to Camp Vogelsang, met with an accident. It was later towed to the Artillerie Kaserne on Berliner Strasse, Prenzlau (N 54/Q 14), by truck [redacted] which was followed by ambulance [redacted] 25X1
4. Vehicles entering Camp Vogelsang from the direction of Oranienburg on 31 March including an armored personnel carrier with 8 soldiers and a machine gun on a tripod, 7 armored scout cars and two trucks [redacted] each with about 20 soldiers. 25X1
5. A convoy of twelve trucks [redacted] and two motorcycles entered Camp Hammelspring from the direction of Prenzlau on 3 April. The trucks were loaded with ammunition boxes and had red flags. \* 25X1

\* Comment. The motor vehicles observed belong to the 25th Tank Div and the 6th Gds Mecz Div. [redacted] the Templin troop training grounds will [redacted] be occupied [redacted] by elements of the Fourth Gds Mecz Army, which is [redacted] from Prenzlau and the movement of ammunition from Prenzlau to Templin on trucks of the 25th Tank Div. [redacted] 25X1

A troop train which was loaded primarily with tanks and trucks in Prenzlau on 13 April 1951 was [redacted] the first of a series of trains carrying component units of the 25th Tank Div to Juchterbog, where elements of this division practiced also in March 1951. [redacted] 25X1

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